

MINUTE ITEM

5. (APPLICATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A DRILLING AND PRODUCTION PLATFORM, STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, SUMMERLAND FIELD, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY - W. O. 2694, P.R.C. 1824.1.)

After presentation of Calendar Item 28 attached, and upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE ACTING EXECUTIVE OFFICER IS AUTHORIZED TO APPROVE THE LOCATION AND CONSTRUCTION BY THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA OF A PYLON-SUPPORTED DRILLING AND PRODUCTION PLATFORM APPROXIMATELY 2.2 MILES OFFSHORE WITHIN THE LEASED AREA OF OIL AND GAS LEASE P.R.C. 1824.1, SUBJECT TO RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. STATEMENT OF NONOBJECTION TO THE LOCATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE PLATFORM FROM THE U. S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS.
2. STATEMENT OF NONOBJECTION BY THE DIRECTOR OF NATURAL RESOURCES RELATIVE TO INTERFERENCE WITH THE RECREATIONAL USE OF LANDS LITTORAL TO THE SUBMERGED LANDS INVOLVED IN THE APPLICATION.
3. APPROVAL BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AS TO COMPLIANCE WITH THE APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF LAW AND OF THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSION.

Attachment

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CALENDAR ITEM

OIL AND GAS

28.

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An application has been received from the Standard Oil Company of California, joint lessee and operator under State Oil and Gas Lease P.R.C. 1824.1, requesting approval of the construction of a stationary pylon-supported drilling and production platform approximately 2.2 miles offshore within the leased area.

A platform design has been developed by Earl and Wright, Consulting Structural Engineers, and has been reviewed by the staff. The size and location of the proposed drilling and production platform are in accordance with the terms of the lease and the rules and regulations of the State Lands Commission.

The Corps of Engineers has reported that a statement of nonobjection to the construction will be issued. The potential offshore location of structures of the type proposed was reported to and considered by the Department of Natural Resources prior to award of the subject lease. The specific placement of an offshore structure will be referred to the Department of Natural Resources and the Attorney General for clearance as provided in Section 6818, Public Resources Code.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZE THE ACTING EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO APPROVE THE LOCATION AND CONSTRUCTION BY THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA OF A PYLON-SUPPORTED DRILLING AND PRODUCTION PLATFORM APPROXIMATELY 2.2 MILES OFFSHORE WITHIN THE LEASED AREA OF OIL AND GAS LEASE P.R.C. 1824.1, SUBJECT TO RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING:

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